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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Rolf Brück et al.  
Appl. No. : 09/711,868  
Filed : November 13, 2000  
Title : Catalytic Converter, Diesel Engine and Lean-Burn Engine Having a Catalytic Converter  
Art Unit :

LETTER

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

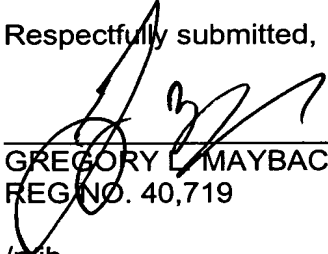
The above-mentioned new patent application was filed on November 13, 2000 without a signed oath or declaration, under the provision of 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f).

In accordance with the above-mentioned rule, enclosed herewith is the original signed declaration.

The undersigned hereby states that the application filed in the Patent and Trademark Office is the application which the inventor(s) executed by signing the declaration. MPEP 601.01(a)(6).

The fee required for the late filing of an oath or declaration in the amount of \$130.00 is also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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